

Current Trail Funding Opportunities

Federal

- Surface Transportation Block Grant (STBG)
<https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/specialfunding/stp/>
- Transportation Alternatives (TA)
https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/environment/transportation_alternatives/
- Recreational Trails Program (RTP)
<https://www.in.gov/dnr/outdoor/4101.htm>
- Congestion Mitigation & Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) Program
https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/environment/air_quality/cmaq/
- Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery (TIGER)
<https://www.transportation.gov/tiger>
- Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF)
<http://www.in.gov/dnr/outdoor/4071.htm>

State

- President Benjamin Harrison Conservation Trust
<http://www.in.gov/dnr/heritage/4426.htm>
- Place Based Investment Fund
<http://www.in.gov/ocra/pbif.htm>
- Destination Development Grant
<http://www.visitindianatourism.com/industry-partners/awards-grants>
- Regional Cities
<https://www.iedc.in.gov/programs/regional-cities-initiative/home>
- Stellar Communities
<http://www.in.gov/ocra/stellar.htm>
- Wabash River Heritage Corridor Fund
<http://www.in.gov/dnr/outdoor/4067.htm>
- Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan Funding Program
<https://www.in.gov/isdh/25141.htm>
- State Trails Grants (no more funds)
- Recreational Trails Maintenance Fund (no funding mechanism)

Individual communities, counties, townships appropriations

- Local Option Income Tax (LOIT)
 - County Option Income Tax (COIT)
 - County Adjusted Gross Income Tax (CAGIT)
 - County Economic Development Income Tax (CEDIT/EDIT)
<https://www.agecon.purdue.edu/crd/localgov/Second%20Level%20pages/locinctaxtab.pdf>
- TIF-Only in designated areas
- Local/County Recreation Impact Fees (RIF)
- County “Wheel” Tax

Other

- Community Foundations
 - <https://www.tgci.com/funding-sources/IN/community>
- Non-Profit Trail Grants
 - Rail-to-Trails Doppelt Family Trail Development Grant
<https://www.railstotrails.org/our-work/doppelt-family-trail-development-fund/>
 - People for Bikes Community Grants
<https://peopleforbikes.org/our-work/community-grants/>
 - Greenways Foundation
<http://www.greenwaysfoundation.org/grants.html>
 - Indiana Trails Fund
<http://www.indianatrails.com/?q=content/indiana-trails-fund>
 - Local Bicycle Clubs
 - Bloomington Bicycle Club
- Private Foundations/Endowments
 - Lilly Endowment
 - Ball Foundations
- Corporate Grants, Sponsorship, Partnerships
 - REI
 - Walmart
- Utility Companies Funding Sources or Partnerships
 - Citizens Energy
 - Duke Energy
 - Northern Indiana Public Service Company (NIPSCO)
 - Vectren Energy
- Individual Donors